



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE

D.T.C. 11-18

September 21, 2021

Petition of Q Link Wireless LLC for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

ORDER

On November 29, 2011, Q Link Wireless LLC (“Q Link”) filed a petition with the Department of Telecommunications and Cable (“Department”) for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (“ETC”) pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 214(e)(2) and 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.101-54.207 (“Petition”). On February 8, 2012, Q Link filed a First Amendment to Petition (“First Amendment”), which contained a request for confidential treatment for certain information contained in the First Amendment (“Motion for Confidential Treatment”). On September 2, 2021, Q Link filed a Motion to Withdraw, without prejudice, its petition for ETC designation. The Department grants Q Link’s Motion to Withdraw and takes no action on Q Link’s Motion for Confidential Treatment. Docket D.T.C. 11-8 is hereby closed and the Department will destroy the documentation that was the subject of Q Link’s Motion for Confidential Treatment.

By Order of the Department,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Karen Charles Peterson".

Karen Charles Peterson
Commissioner

RIGHT OF APPEAL

Pursuant to G.L. c. 25, § 5, and G.L. c. 166A, § 2, an appeal as to matters of law from any final decision, order or ruling of the Department may be taken to the Supreme Judicial Court for the County of Suffolk by an aggrieved party in interest by the filing of a written petition asking that the Order of the Department be modified or set aside in whole or in part. Such petition for appeal shall be filed with the Secretary of the Department within twenty (20) days after the date of service of the decision, order, or ruling of the Department, or within such further time as the Department may allow upon request filed prior to the expiration of the twenty (20) days after the date of service of said decision, order, or ruling. Within ten (10) days after such petition has been filed, the appealing party shall enter the appeal in the Supreme Judicial Court for the County of Suffolk by filing a copy thereof with the Clerk of said Court. Appeals of Department Orders on basic service tier cable rates, associated equipment, or whether a franchising authority has acted consistently with the federal Cable Act may also be brought pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 76.944.